lating to the arts in its interface of science, technology, metaprysics, and philosophy, research, editing, translation and publication of fundamental texts related to the Indian arts; reprinting of critical writings on Indian arts; and compilation of a multi-volume encyclopaedia of arts;

(3) *Janapada Sampada*: Collection of material and documentation of folk and tribal arts and crafts; multidisciplinary life-style studies of tribal communities; establishment of two permanent gallaries devoted to aboriginal and pre-historic rock art called Adi-Drsya, and to sound music and musical instruments called Adi-Srvya; multi-disciplinary research on particular regions in the country which have become cultural complexes, and implementation of programmes for children based on the rich heritage of tribal and folk cultures; and

(4) *Kala Darsana*: Organising multi-disciplinary programmes on unified themes.

The four Academic Divisions are given administrative, managerial, and organisational support by a modal division called Sutradhara.

(b) Over the last three years, the financial allocations made for the IGMCA are as follows:

1988-89	..	Rs. 10,61,43,000/-
1989-90	..	Nil
1990-91	..	Nil

(c) The IGNCA has been constituted as an autonomous trust with its Board of Trustees and the Executive Council. The Board of Trustees and the Executive Council carry out the work of the IGNCA according to the provisions of the Deed of Declaration of the IGNCA. Its programme and activities are designed, implemented and monitored by its Board of Trustees.

CBI inquiry into the working of DMS

*415. SHRI MOHINDER SINGH LATHER:

SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CBI inquiry into the working of the Delhi Milk Scheme has been completed;

(b) if so, the details of the findings; and

(c) the action taken aaginst the officers of DMS found guilty?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI BALRAM JAKHAR): (a) to (c) The Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) is not inquiring into the working of the Delhi Milk Scheme. However, complaints, when appropriate, are referred to the CBI for investigation.

Physically disabled persons

*416. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have conducted any survey of the physically-disabled persons in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State and Union Territory-wise; and

(c) the schemes introduced for the education, training and economic rehabilitation of the physically-disabled persons?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITARAM KESARI): (a) and (b) The National Sample Survey Organisation conducted sample survey of disabled persons in the country during 1981, Twelve million persons were reported having visual. speech, hearing and locomoter disabilities. State-wise and category-wise information is at Statement-I to IV. (*See* below).

(c) A statement is laid on the Table of the House as Statement-V.

Statement-I

Estimated number (per 1,00,000) of persons having locomotor disability for selected States

State	Rural	Urban
Andhra Pradesh	1030	849
Assam	271	296
Bihar	895	696
Gujarat	769	646
Haryana	1006	973
Himachal Pradesh	811	564
Jammu & Kashmir	915	485
Karnataka	835	660
Kerala	874	842
Madhya Pradesh	686	637
Maharashtra	775	635
Manipur	300	477
Meghalaya	302	244
Nagaland	No Rural Sample	241
Orissa	729	629
Punjab	1392	854
Rajasthan	1023	892
Tamil Nadu	848	769
Tripura	695	683
Uttar Pradesh	810	694
West Bengal	676	431
Chandigarh	640	1058
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	398	No Urban Area
Delhi	844	443
Goa, Daman, & Diu	923	591
Mizoram	487	365
Pondicherry	1182	836
All India	828	679

Statement-II

Estimated number (per 1,00,000 aged 5 years above) having hearing disability

State	Rural	Urban
Andhra Pradesh	749	510
Assam	381	354
Bihar	495	365
Gujarat	338	274
Haryana	662	538
Himachal Pradesh	612	207
Jammu & Kashmir	598	262
Karnataka	599	405
Kerala	489	413
Madhya Pradesh	314	205
Maharashtra	484	275
Manipur	333	187
Meghalaya	635	146
Orissa	842	382
Punjab	592	384
Rajasthan	505	426
Tamil Nadu	829	728
Tripura	584	447
Uttar Pradesh	490	337
West Bengal	656	350
Chandigarh	680	359
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	407	No Urban Area
Delhi	480	195
Goa, Daman & Diu	224	106
Mizoram	896	494
Pondicherry	1292	1307
Nagaland	Not surveyed	87
All India	553	390

Statement-III

Estimated number (per 1,00,000 aged 5 years above) having speech disability

State	Rural	Urban
Andhra Pradesh	443	373
Assam	244	213
Bihar	334	258
Gujarat	169	164
Haryana	269	625
Himachal Pradesh	379	127
Jammu & Kashmir	523	298
Karnataka	343	291
Kerala	418	470
Madhya Pradesh	174	161
Maharashtra	194	199
Manipur	131	116
Meghalaya	513	11
Nagaland	Not surveyed	31
Orissa	303	214
Punjab	270	291
Rajasthan	250	272
Tamil Nadu	372	353
Tripura	319	329
Uttar Pradesh	307	342
West Bengal	341	168
Chandigarh	355	419
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	213	No Urban area
Delhi	522	319
Goa, Daman & Diu	249	841
Mizoram	640	359
Podicherry	568	379
All India	304	279

Statement-IV

Estimated number (per **1,00,000***) of persons having visual disability*

State	Rural	Urban
Andhra Pradesh	769	426
Assam	190	168
Bihar	518	291
Gujarat	481	244
Haryana	530	473
Himachal Pradesh	398	348
Jammu & Kashmir	248	141
Karnataka	593	1
Kerala	255	303
Madhya Pradesh	484	309
Maharashtra	528	307
Manipur	203	68
Meghalaya	251	139
Nagaland	Not surveyed	36
Orissa	758	501
Punjab	727	373
Rajasthan	635	376
Tamil Nadu	565	637
Tripura	585	395
Uttar Pradesh	664	394
Chandigarh	143	111
West Bengal	364	219
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	318	No Urban area
Delhi	419	173
Goa, Daman & Diu	451	216
Mizoram	226	95
Pondicherry	814	1259
All India	553	356

Statement-V

The major Schemes for the education, training and rehabilitation of the physically handicapped persons being implemented are as follows:—

1. *Scheme of Assistance to Organisations for the Disabled Persons*

Under this Scheme, grant-in-aid is provided to the organisations working for the welfare of disabled persons. 90 per cent financial assistance is given to such voluntary organisations who provide education, training and rehabilitation facilities to disabled persons.

2. *Scheme of Assistance to Disabled Persons for purchase/fitting of aids and appliances*

Under this Scheme grants are given to voluntary organisations for providing aids and appliances whose value ranges between Rs. 25/- and Rs. 3600/- to disabled persons (i) free of cost if their income is less than Rs. 1200/- p.m. and (ii) at 50 per cent cost if the income ranges between Rs. 1201/- to Rs. 2500/- per month. This scheme is implemented through voluntary agencies spread all over the country.

3. *Scholarships for the Disabled Persons*

Government of India provides scholarships to handicapped students, including the blind, for pursuing education from Class IX onwards. Scholarships are also provided for technical and professional training, correspondence courses of study and on-the-job training to the handicapped. Reader's allowance to the blind is also given.

4. *Employment*

(i) 3% vacancies have been reserved for physically handicapped — 1% each for the visual, hearing and orthopaedically handicapped in Group 'C' & 'D' posts in Central Government and Public Sector Understakings. The handicapped including the blind are also given age concession in the upper age limit and relaxation in the medical standards for entry into Government services.

(ii) 23 Special Employment Exchanges and 55 Special Cells for the handicapped persons have been set up exclusively to help the handicapped, in getting gainful employment. Besides, the normal employment exchanges also help the handicapped persons in finding suitable employment.

(iii) Seventeen vocational rehabilitation centres have been set up to assess the ability of the disabled, arrange their training and place them in employment.

5. *Established of National Institutes*

In order to effectively deal with the multi-dimensional problems of the handicapped population, the following four National Institutes have been set up in each major area of disablities;

(1) National Institute for the Visually Handicapped, Dehradun.

(2) National Institute for the Orthopaedically Handicapped, Calcutta.

(3) National Institute for the Hearing Handicapped, Bombay.

(4) National Institute for the Mentally Handicapped, Secundrabad.

These are premier apex level organisations in their respective fields in the area of education, training, development of manpower, vocational guidances, counselling, research, development of suitable services modules and low cost rehabilitation aids for the handicapped.

Cracks in Nadanwara Dam in Madhya Pradesh

*417. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI:

SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE:

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that cracks have appeared in the Nadanwara Dam in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, what is the extent of damage; and